

# TYRONE HEADE

## HIGHLAND BAGPIPER

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**World Solo Amateur Championship**  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, Grade I Piobaireachd, *Tulloch Ard*  
Glasgow, Scotland  
August 2009

**Competition League of Amateur Solo Pipers**  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, Grade I Piobaireachd  
New York  
February 2007



### Offices of Residence

**Bagpiper in Residence**, St. James Cathedral, Seattle (since 1990)  
**Resident Bagpiper**, St. Mark's Cathedral, Seattle (since 1993)  
**Pipe Major**, Elliott Bay Pipe Band, Seattle (since 2003)  
**Director of Piping**, Mastery of Scottish Arts, Seattle (since 2002)  
**Voting Member**, National Academy of Recording Arts (since 1999)

### Broadcast Performances

**KCTS Connects**, Performance/Interview, October 2000  
**Bill Nye, the Science Guy** (Disney & KCTS) three episodes, 1997  
**KIRO AM**, Performance/Interview, March 2000  
**KOMO Radio**, Performance/Interview, February 1997  
**K106 FM**, Live Performance/Interview, March 1995  
**KUOW**, Live Performance/Interview with Dave Beck, January 1995

### Recorded Performances

**Iona Abbey CD**, Quintana-Leon Studios, 1998  
**Soundtracks**, including *Progress*, 1997, Web Crowell Productions  
**Stanley Greenthal CD**, *Turning Toward You*, 1997

### Solo Awards *include...*

Skagit Valley Highland Games

**4<sup>th</sup> Place**, Grade I Piobaireachd, *Mackenzie of Applecross' Salute* (2009)

B.C. Pipers' Annual Gathering

**Winner, 2006, 2005 & 2004, Ian Charles MacLeod Memorial Shield, Grade II Piobaireachd, BC Indoor Annual Gathering**  
**"The Duke of Athole's Salute" (2006)**  
**"Macleods Short Tune" (2005)**  
**"MacKenzie of Applecross' Salute" (2004)**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd, *Glengarries March* (2001)  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd, *Lament for Lady Margaret MacDonald* (2000)  
**5<sup>th</sup> Place**, Jig (2001)

Lyon University,  
Arkansas Scottish Festival

**1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Strathspey/Reel, **1<sup>st</sup> Place** Jig/Hornpipe, **1<sup>st</sup> Place** Piobaireachd, *MacLeod's Controversy*; **1<sup>st</sup> Place** 6/8 March, **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** 2/4 March (all prizes 2004)

Washington Piping Association

**Winner, Grade II Aggregate (2004)**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd, *The Little Spree* (2003)  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Grade II Jig/Hornpipe (2003)  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II 6/8 March (2000)  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (2001)  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, Grade I Piobaireachd**, *Battle of the Pass of Crieff* (1996)

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- Portland Highland Games:                   **1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd, *The King's Taxes* (1999)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (1997)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (1996)  
   **1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Old Highland Aire (1995 & 1994)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Strathspey & Reel (1993)
- British Columbia Highland Games:       **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (1999)
- Pacific Northwest Highland Games:      **2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Grade II Piobaireachd (2003)**  
   **3<sup>rd</sup> Place**, Jig (1999)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, 6/8 March (1995)  
   **3<sup>rd</sup> Place**, 2/4 March (1995)
- Skagit Valley Highland Games:           **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (2000)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Grade II Piobaireachd (1999)  
   **Winner, Grade III Piping Aggregate** (1995)  
   **1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Piobaireachd, *The Battle of Auldearn, Setting No. 1* (1995)  
   **1<sup>st</sup> Place**, Strathspey & Reel (1995)  
   **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, 2/4 March (1995)
- Bellingham Highland Games:            **3<sup>rd</sup> Place**, 2/4 March (1994)

### **Organizations Founded**

**Mastery of Scottish Arts**, founding member & president 1995 through 2000  
**Director of Piping** 2002 - present [www.MasteryofScottishArts.org](http://www.MasteryofScottishArts.org)

Currently serves on Board of Directors of the Celtic Arts Foundation, Mount Vernon, Washington, [www.CelticArts.org](http://www.CelticArts.org).

**Elliott Bay Pipe Band**, founding member 1992, former president (5 years), former Pipe Sergeant (5 years), **Pipe Major** 2002 – present [www.ElliottBayPipeBand.com](http://www.ElliottBayPipeBand.com)  
Competed in the 2001 & 2005 **World Pipe Band Championships**, Glasgow, Scotland.

### **Performance Instruments**

1890 Great Highland Bagpipes by David Glen, silver/silver  
1900 Great Highland Bagpipes by R. G. Lawrie, ivory/German silver  
1996 Scottish Small Pipe by D. Naill, Victorian Silver engraving